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APPLICANT: Hideshi HATTORI)
SERIAL NO: 10/018,718) Group Art Unit: 1774
FILED: December 14, 2001) Examiner: Tamra Discus
TITLE: ANTIREFLECTION FILM AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING
THE SAME

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated March 26, 2003 having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on June 26, 2003.

REMARKS

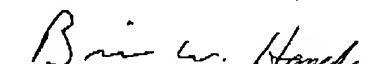
In the Office Action, the Examiner made a restriction requirement, under 35 U.S.C. §121, between Group I, Claims 1-21, and Group II, Claims 22-29. Applicant elects the Group I claims, (Claims 1-21).

In light of the foregoing response, all the outstanding objections and rejections have been overcome. Applicant respectfully submits that this application should now be in condition for allowance and respectfully requests favorable consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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